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Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations

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Questions deferred for future consideration

Section A

The General Assembly decides to defer to the resumed part of its sixtieth session consideration of the following agenda items and related documents:

Item 122
Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations

(a) Report of the Secretary-General on measures to strengthen accountability at the United Nations (A/60/312);

(b) Report of the Secretary-General on the contribution made by the Department of Management to the improvement of management practices, and time-bound plan for the reduction of duplication, complexity and bureaucracy in the United Nations administrative process and procedures (A/60/342);

(c) Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/60/418);

Item 124
Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007

Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations

(d) Report of the Secretary-General on a strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations (A/60/424);

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(e) Report of the Secretary-General on the coverage of staff by the malicious acts insurance policy, and on security spending by organizations of the United Nations system (A/60/317 and Corr.1);

(f) Report by the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the utilization and management of funds appropriated to strengthen the safety and security of the United Nations premises (A/60/291 and Add.1);

(g) Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/60/7/Add.9);

(h) Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the global audit of field security management (A/59/702);

Capital master plan

(i) Third annual report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the capital master plan (A/60/550 and Corr.1-2 and Add.1);

(j) Report of the Board of Auditors for the year ended 31 December 2004: Capital master plan;[1]

(k) Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/60/7/Add.12);

(l) Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the capital master plan (A/60/288);

(m) Second annual report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the capital master plan (A/59/441);

(n) Report of the Secretary-General on the plans for three additional conference rooms and viable solutions for allowing natural light into the rooms (A/58/556);

(o) Report of the Secretary-General on viable options for ensuring sufficient parking space at United Nations Headquarters (A/58/712);

(p) Report of the Secretary-General on the status of possible funding arrangements for the capital master plan (A/58/729);

(q) Report of the Secretary-General on the cooperation with the city and state of New York related to the capital master plan (A/58/779);

(r) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Board of Auditors on the capital master plan for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 (A/59/161);

(s) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the United Nations capital master plan for the period from August 2003 through July 2004 (A/59/420);

(t) Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the capital master plan (A/59/556 and A/C.5/59/SR.54);

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[1] *Official Records of the General Assembly, Sixtieth Session, Supplement No. 5* (A/60/5 (Vol. V)).

After-service health insurance

(u) Report of the Secretary-General on liabilities and proposed funding for after-service health benefits (A/60/450);

(v) Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/60/7/Add.11);

Conditions of travel throughout the United Nations system

(w) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the harmonization of the conditions of travel throughout the United Nations system (A/60/78);

(x) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments and those of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the harmonization of the conditions of travel throughout the United Nations system (A/60/78/Add.1);

Item 125
Programme planning

(y) Report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination on the work of its forty-fifth session;[2]

(z) Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on proposals on the strengthening and monitoring of programme performance and evaluation (A/60/73);

(aa) Letter dated 20 October 2005 from the President of the General Assembly addressed to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee (A/C.5/60/11);

(bb) Report of the Secretary-General on defining the administrative functions of the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (A/59/562);

Item 127
Pattern of conferences

(cc) Report of the Committee on Conferences for 2005;[3]

(dd) Report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences (A/60/93 and Corr.1);

(ee) Report of the Secretary-General on the reform of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (A/60/112);

(ff) Letter dated 12 October 2005 from the President of the General Assembly addressed to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee (A/C.5/60/9);

(gg) Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/60/433);

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[2] Ibid., *Supplement No. 16* (A/60/16 and Corr.1).

[3] Ibid., *Supplement No. 32* (A/60/32).

Item 128
Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations

(hh) Report of the Committee on Contributions;[4]

(ii) Report of the Secretary-General on the unpaid assessed contributions of the former Yugoslavia (A/60/140);

(jj) Letter dated 27 December 2001 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly (A/56/767);

(kk) Note by the Secretary-General on the outstanding assessed contributions of the former Yugoslavia (A/58/189);

Item 130
Joint Inspection Unit

(ll) Report of the Joint Inspection Unit for 2004 and programme of work for 2005;[5]

Item 131
United Nations common system

(mm) Report of the International Civil Service Commission for the year 2005;[6]

(nn) Report of the Secretary-General on the administrative and financial implications of the decisions and recommendations contained in the report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2005 (A/60/421 and Corr.1);

(oo) Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/60/7/Add.3);

(pp) Report of the Secretary-General on new contractual arrangements (A/59/263/Add.1);

(qq) Note by the Secretary-General on the Senior Management Network (A/60/209);

(rr) Report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2004;[7]

(ss) Note by the Secretariat transmitting the report of the Panel on the Strengthening of the International Civil Service (A/59/153);

(tt) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Panel on the Strengthening of the International Civil Service (A/59/399);

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[4] Ibid., *Supplement No. 11* (A/60/11).
[5] Ibid., *Supplement No. 34* (A/60/34).
[6] Ibid., *Supplement No. 30* (A/60/30 and Corr.1).
[7] Ibid., *Fifty-ninth session, Supplement No. 30* (A/59/30 (Vol. II)).

Item 132
Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services

(uu) Annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 (A/60/346 and Corr.1);

Item 136
Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations

(vv) Report of the Secretary-General on the updated financial position of closed peacekeeping missions as at 30 June 2005 (A/60/437);

(ww) Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/60/551).

Section B

The General Assembly decides to defer to its sixty-first session consideration of the following documents under agenda item 129:

Item 129
Human resources management

(xx) Report of the Secretary-General on the composition of the Secretariat (A/60/310);

(yy) Reports of the Secretary-General on the list of staff of the United Nations Secretariat (A/C.5/59/L.34 and A/C.5/60/L.2);

(zz) Biennial report of the Secretary-General on the use of gratis personnel, indicating nationality and summarizing duration of service and function performed (A/59/716);

(aaa) Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/59/786);

(bbb) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on a study on the availability in local labour markets of the skills for which international recruitment for posts in the General Service category takes place (A/59/388);

(ccc) Report of the Secretary-General on a study on the availability of skills in local labour markets for which international recruitment for posts in the General Service category takes place (A/60/262);

(ddd) Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive assessment of the system of geographical distribution and assessment of the issues relating to possible changes in the number of posts subject to the system of geographical distribution (A/59/724);

(eee) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the review of Headquarters agreements concluded by the organizations of the United Nations system: human resources issues affecting staff (A/59/526);

(fff) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments and those of the Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the review of Headquarters agreements concluded by the organizations of the United Nations system: human resources issues affecting staff (A/59/526/Add.1).